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February 1946 to May 1948

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- An airfield, about 10,000 feet square, was east of NIZHNT TAGIL (59°58'E/57°55'N), Sverdlovsk Oblast, Ural MD, about three miles southwest of the railroad car factory, south of a double-tracked railroad line .
- Biplanes were stationed at the field, but landings and take- 25X1X offs of twin-engine contental planes were also observed.

May 1948 to August 1949

- An airfield was located west of the railroad car factory. It was bordered by a railroad line on the north and northwest. This line passed the railroad car factory running east. The blast furnace plants of NIZHMI TAGIL were located in the south.
- The field was allegedly a civil airport." There was little flying with biplanes at this field.

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Report, which is based on two sources, confirmed the field as a civil airport and that primary flight training is conducted there. The small number of biplanes and the small amount of training observed there permit the assumption that a training center of DOSAV is located at the field.

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reports this to be a military airfield.

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